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Storm Of Protest In Britain And America

GERMAN CHURCH SCHISMS

Declaration By Bonn Professors

DEFINITE STAND TAKEN ON EVANGELISM

CHINA MAIL SPECIAL Berlin, To-day. In an attempt to bridge the theological schisms which threaten the life of the church in Germany, according to a semi-official news agency, all the *ordinarii* professors of the faculty of Evangelism and Theology in the University of Bonn have signed the following declaration:

"We recognise the holy scriptures as the only writings affording a rule and guide for belief. We conform with the profession of faith in the proclamation of July 10, 1933, Article 1: 'The inviolable basis of the German Evangelical Church is the evangelism of Jesus Christ, as testified in the holy scriptures, and revealed anew in the professions of the reformation.'

"On the basis of this evangelism we give decisive support to the consolidation of the nation on the principles of blood and soil, the German character and history. For the same reason, however, we reject any idolisation of the forces of nature."

CATE TO YOUTH

"We therefore call on our German youth not to let themselves be misled by the confusion prevailing in ecclesiastical conditions, but to struggle to gain a personal Christian faith. 'We demand the maintenance of the State theological faculties and repudiate every attempt to substitute Popish theology or ecclesiastical ordinances for the personal fight for faith.'

"We desire the co-operation of all forces in the church under uniform leadership in a brotherly spirit for the maintenance and reconstruction of the reformatory people's church—Trans-Ocean Service."

REICHSBANK RETURN

Large Expansion Of Credit

CHINA MAIL SPECIAL Berlin, To-day. The Reichsbank return dated December 31, published yesterday, shows an increase in the gold stock of 0.1 to 825 million Reichsmarks and foreign currency reserves unchanged at 5.2 million Reichsmarks, marking a total increase in the note cover of 0.1 to 87.7 million Reichsmarks. The note circulation increased 195.2 to 4,285.2 million Reichsmarks.

The amount of credit issued, as measured by bills, cheques, advances and investments, increased by 639.5 to 5,299.6 million Reichsmarks, this sudden large expansion of credit being accounted for by the greater volume of trade going on, consequent upon the general economic recovery. The total circulation of legal tender of all kinds, including coins, increased by 401,000,000 Reichsmarks by comparison with those of 1934, the total amount of legal tender reaching approximately 2,000 million Reichsmarks. Trans-Ocean Ser-



NEW EDUCATION IN RUSSIA

Starvation Salaries For Teachers

ILLITERACY AMONG OFFICIALS

CHINA MAIL SPECIAL

Moscow, To-day. Revealing disclosures concerning the starvation salaries paid by the Soviet State to the professors of the Moscow pedagogical institute were contained in yesterday's issue of the newspaper *Komsomolskaya Pravda*, which states that the monthly salaries of the teaching staff vary between 48 and 175 paper roubles, or roughly between \$2 and \$7, only one professor getting as much as 247 roubles.

The paper stresses that in these conditions teachers are naturally compelled to accept any other work which may be offered in order to eke out their existence. The purchasing power of the above-mentioned salaries may be gauged by the fact that a pound of meat costs five roubles.

Another sidelight on the efficiency of the Soviet school system is afforded by an editorial in yesterday's semi-official *Izvestia*,

which deals with the campaign waged against illiteracy in Soviet Russia and states that many Soviet authorities lack the most elementary knowledge, and that official documents are often drafted in completely deficient spelling. Trans-Ocean Service.

NEW REGIME IN GREECE

Venizelos Buries The Hatchet

CHINA MAIL SPECIAL Athens, To-day.

That the hatchet has definitely been buried between the King of Greece and his former arch-foe, M. Venizelos, appears to be shown by the fact that the latter has requested the Foreign Minister to convey to the King his best wishes for the New Year.

In his message M. Venizelos expresses the hope that under the rule of George II the "regime of crowned democracy" may become as firmly established as under the rule of George I. In this manner the national unity, which has been badly shaken during the past 20 years, may be restored, and the country thus become eternally indebted to the King. Trans-Ocean Service.

LUFTHANSA HONOURED

Special Issue Of Stamps

CHINA MAIL SPECIAL Berlin, To-day.

On the occasion of the tenth anniversary of the foundation of the Deutsche Lufthansa, the great German air transport company, the German post office will issue on Monday next a limited edition of new 40 pfennig stamps bearing a picture of a modern aeroplane, as well as an inscription referring to the anniversary. The stamps may also be used for mail to foreign countries. Trans-Ocean Service.

NAVAL PARLEYS

To Be Continued On Monday

London, To-day.

The Naval Conference, which was adjourned over the Christmas holidays, will be resumed on Monday afternoon when the election of a President in succession to Sir Samuel Hoare may be considered. The First Committee will continue their examination of the various proposals advanced by the different delegations.

Delegates will attend the official Government dinner on Thursday evening. British Wireless Service.

RECORD NUMBER OF VISITORS TO ART EXHIBITION

London, To-day.—Visitors to the Chinese Art Exhibition to the end of December numbered nearly 106,000. The record attendance for any one day was on January 2, when about 7,000 people visited the exhibition. — Reuters.



The top-ranking Mexican politician has turned suddenly to favour Adolfo de la Huerta, former President of Mexico who spent many years in exile teaching education to Hollywood actors. Hundreds turned out at the railroad station to welcome the famous exile.

LADIES' INTERPORT HOCKEY TEAM INCOMPLETE

Mr. M. White Unable To Make Trip March

Mrs. M. White, the selected ladies' Interport hockey committee, is unable to travel to Shanghai owing to unavoidable circumstances.

In view of this unexpected setback Miss P. Gitting, the reserve forward, will be brought into the side, although her position in the forward line has not yet definitely been decided. Another reserve forward will now be selected, probably at tomorrow's Interport practice at King's Park.

AIR MAIL LOST IN CRASH

Particulars Issued In London

London, To-day.

The Postmaster-General announces that part of the air mail posted for conveyance by the England, India, Malaya, Australia air mail of December 23 was included in the mail carried by the City of Khartoum.

According to present information the missing letter-air mail consists of correspondence for Egypt, Palestine, Iraq, India, Siam, Malaya, Australia, etc., posted in London before noon on December 22, and in the provinces generally by December 26. It is feared that all the air parcels for Egypt, India and Ceylon may be involved. — Reuters.

BODIES RECOVERED

Alexandria: Divers cut their way through to the cabin of the City of Khartoum and recovered the bodies of Mrs. Horseran, Miss Eckford, the Italian Tartaglione, the steward and another unidentified man. It is thought likely that it will prove impossible to raise the wreck, as the bars of the tug's crane which are being used have already broken twice. — Reuters.

REICHSMARK QUOTATIONS

Berlin, To-day.—Reichsmark quotations (without guarantees) yesterday were: New York, 40.25; Paris, 30.85; Amsterdam, 30.25; London, 42.25. The Swiss franc quotation was 74.40 francs and the dollar, 15.25-15.325. Trans-Ocean Ser-

ALLEGED MURDER OF PRISONERS

"FREQUENT BARBAROUS ATROGIES"

ITALY'S HAND MAY BE FORCED

CHINA MAIL SPECIAL

Rome, To-day.

The whole Italian nation is filled with indignation at the "frequent barbarous atrocities" alleged to have been perpetrated on Italian prisoners by Abyssinians, it was stated yesterday in authoritative quarters here, where it is pointed out that Italy will be compelled to resort to the severest reprisals in the course of which "the most modern weapons of chemical warfare will perhaps be employed."

Exception is also taken to the recent reports in the foreign press on the Abyssinian campaign, which are described as exaggerated or completely false. It is denied emphatically that the Italian troops in the territory of Shire burnt Coptic churches, as well as that His Grace has been court-martialled and shot.

Notwithstanding all reports to the contrary, the Italian troops of planes are stated to be only four, including one shot down by the Abyssinians on December 26. The other six have been brought down by the enemy but forced to land owing to mechanical defects.

NEUTRALITY IN U.S.A.

Special Bill Before Representatives

DISCRETIONARY POWERS FOR PRESIDENT

Washington, To-day.

A permanent Neutrality Bill giving the President discretionary powers to embargo war materials and retaining the present obligatory embargo on actual implements of war, was introduced into the House of Representatives yesterday by Mr. Sam D. McReynolds, Chairman of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the House.

Mr. McReynolds said that the bill was satisfactory to the administration and was drafted after long conferences with the President and Department of State officials. Under the bill the President would be empowered to impose on the shipment of material used for war purposes, would restrict the exports to all belligerents to ordinary peacetime quantities. Food and medical supplies would be specifically exempted.

Mr. McReynolds added that he would submit an amendment exempting American countries at war with non-American countries from the mandatory arms embargo. The bill also generally bans financial transactions with belligerent countries.

The measures are specifically aimed at enacting into law the President's policy that all trade with belligerents is at the trader's own risk.

Simultaneously Senator Pittman in the afternoon introduced a similar bill into the Senate, which, however, makes it obligatory for the President to embargo exports to belligerents exceeding the peace-time quantities.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—The third and most drastic neutrality bill introduced into the House of Representatives by Mr. Louis Ludlow of Indiana imposed a prohibitory American embargo on exports of foodstuffs to the belligerents upon the outbreak of war.

Government Appointments

The following appointments etc. as Deputy Registrar of Marriages in addition to his other duties with effect from December 30:

Mr. Roland Arthur Charles North to be an Assistant to the Secretary for Chinese Affairs, with effect from January 1.

Mr. Ernest James Edwards to act as Inspector of English Schools, vice Mr. Alan Octon Brown, on leave prior to retirement with effect from January 1.

Dr. William Charles Wallace Nixon to be a member of the Midwives Board for a term of three years, with effect from December 30.

Mr. Robert Andrew Dernedde, present to be Principal Assistant Colonial Secretary and Clerk of Councils, with effect from January 1.

Mr. Henry Robert Bullard to be Deputy Clerk of Councils, with effect from January 1.

Mr. Thomas Sturte Whittle Smith to be Land Officer, with effect from January 1.

Mr. John Bertram Pritchard to act as Inspector of Weights and Measures, with effect from January 1.

MAIL SCHEDULES

AIR MAIL

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HONG KONG GOVERNMENT TELEGRAPH SERVICE

From the first day of December 1935 charges for telegrams will be collected at the rate of Dollar 0.95 to equal Gold Franc 1.00.

The Hong Kong Government Radio Telegraph Service announces that from next Monday charges for telegrams will be collected at the rate of Dollar 1.05 to equal Gold Franc 1.00.

XLT Telegrams conveying Christmas and New Year Greetings will be accepted by the Government Radio Office for transmission via Radio during the period from 14th December 1935 to 6th January 1936, both dates inclusive.

(a) The charge for telegrams to places in China will be based on ONE FOURTH of the ordinary rate and to other Places on ONE THIRD of the ordinary rate.

(b) The minimum charge for all places will be for ten words. Further particulars may be obtained on application to the Radio Office.

BROADCASTING RECEIVING LICENCES 1936

All Existing Licences expire on 31st December 1935.

New Licences for 1936 will be available at the Government Radio Office, P. & O. Building, from 1st January, 1936 and will be issued from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. against the receipt of a remittance of \$10.

Applications may be made:

(a) personally

(b) by messenger

(c) by post

It is essential under (a) and preferable under (b) and (c) that applications should be accompanied by crossed cheque payable to Hong Kong Government. The new licence will then be sent by post or messenger as soon as it is ready. Where actual cash is tendered a new licence should be received in exchange before leaving the Licensing Office.

In the case of renewal the old licence should be returned with the application.

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FROM EUROPE

Patroclus Jan.
Chitral (via Suez)

FROM SHANGHAI

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(Above) Two of the four candidates in Cuba's forthcoming Presidential election are M. W. Gomez (top), nominee of the Coalition Party, and Carlos Manuel de la Cruz (bottom), the Liberal Party's standard bearer.



It is a good old President Roosevelt custom to spend Thanksgiving at Warm Springs, Georgia, and the "First Couple" did not disappoint the hundreds of young patients at the foundation this year, as this picture showing them at the head of the festive board witnesses.



This photograph of Mary Swope Philpot and her estranged husband, found on the body of Leroy Smith, New City, New York, the murder victim, linked the dead Don Juan to Mrs. Philpot. She is now being questioned by the police.

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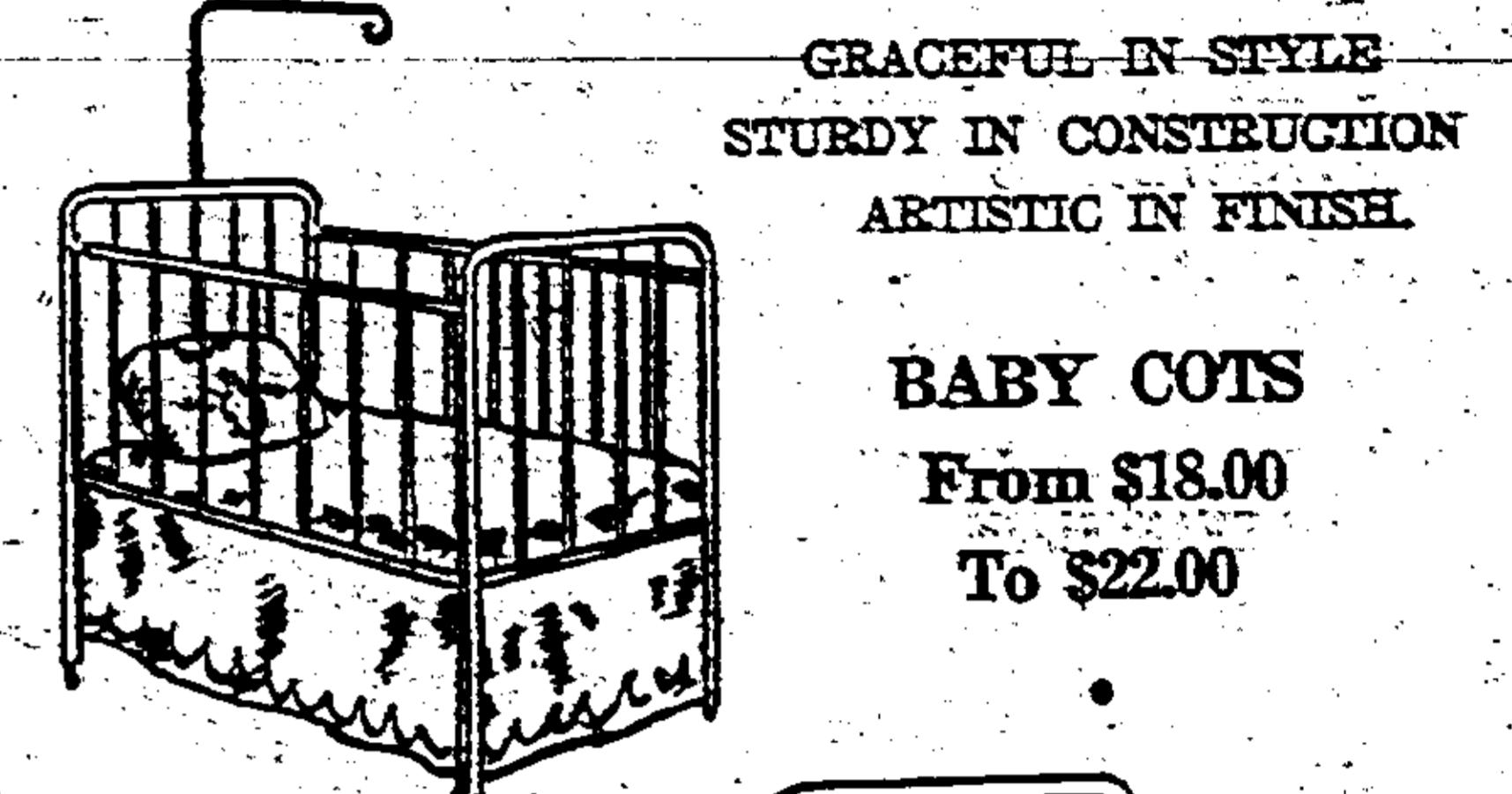
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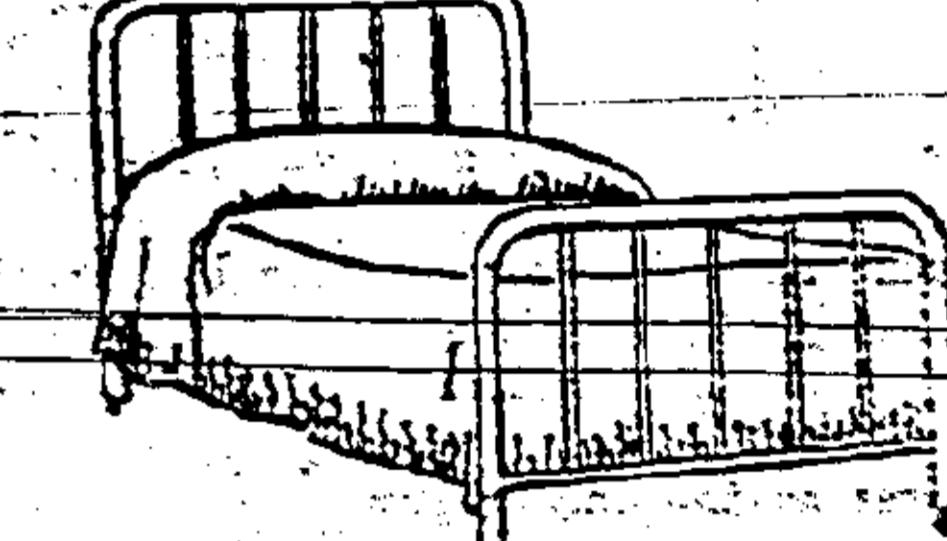
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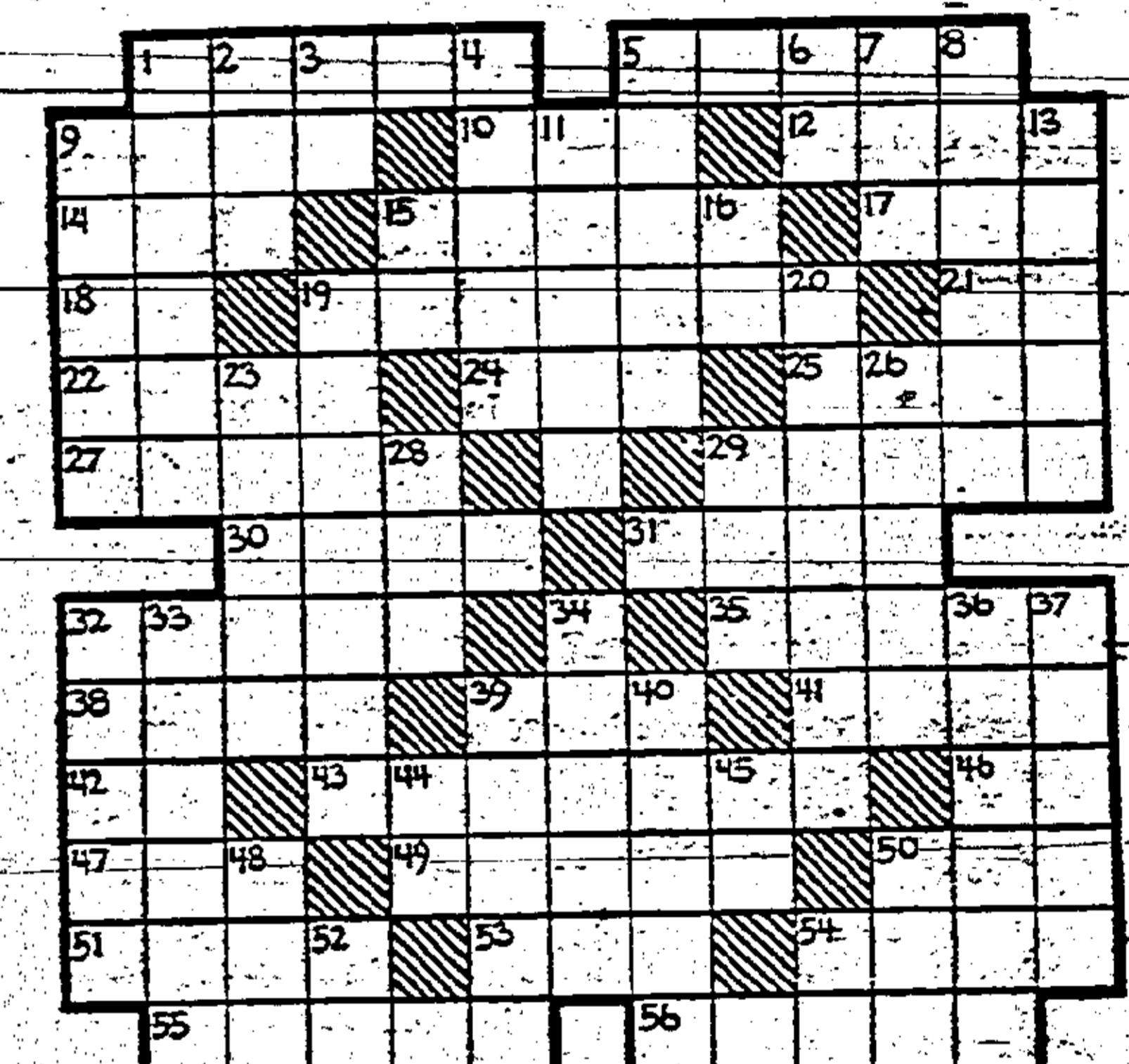
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| HORIZONTAL (Cont.) | | VERTICAL (Cont.) | |
|------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|
| 1-Captors | 42-Upon | 15-Into | |
| 5-Idol | 43-Allyres | 16-Smallest State of | United States (abbr.) |
| 8-Game | 44-Depart | 17-A place in a | detached situation |
| 9-United States ship | 47-Utah | 18-A title (pl.) | 22-A rodent |
| (abbr.) | 48-The (Fr.) | 23-Mallikom, bearing | 24-A garden tool |
| 12-Famous Italian lake | 51-Festans | 25-of a house | 26-A horse |
| 16-Sick | 52-Golf mound | 26-Garden tool | 27-Combining form. |
| 17-Burn | 54-Opening in the skin | 28-Hair | Air |
| 18-Skifful | 55-Time between | 29-Bierishes | 32-A vessel |
| 19-Royal Navy (abbr.) | periods | 30-Nearby | 33-A game |
| 20-Turkish unit of | 21-Near by | 22-Oceans | 34-Stepple |
| money | 23-Mistake | 24-Look | 35-Files |
| 20-Sliced raw cabbage | 24-Turkish | 25-Island (poet.) | 37-Slip-knot |
| 21-Greek letter | 25-The armful | 26-Mistake | 38-Affirm |
| 22-The armful | 26-Angie in a fort | 27-Turkish unit of | 40-A land measure (pl.) |
| 23-Allow for | 27-Allowed for | 28-Money | 41-Province of Canada |
| temporary use | 28-Temporary use | 29-Mineral spring | (abbr.) |
| 29-Mineral spring | 30-Don Juan | 31-Horse | 45-Electrical Engineer |
| 41-City of Nevada | 32-The armful | 33-Fur-bearing animal | (abbr.) |

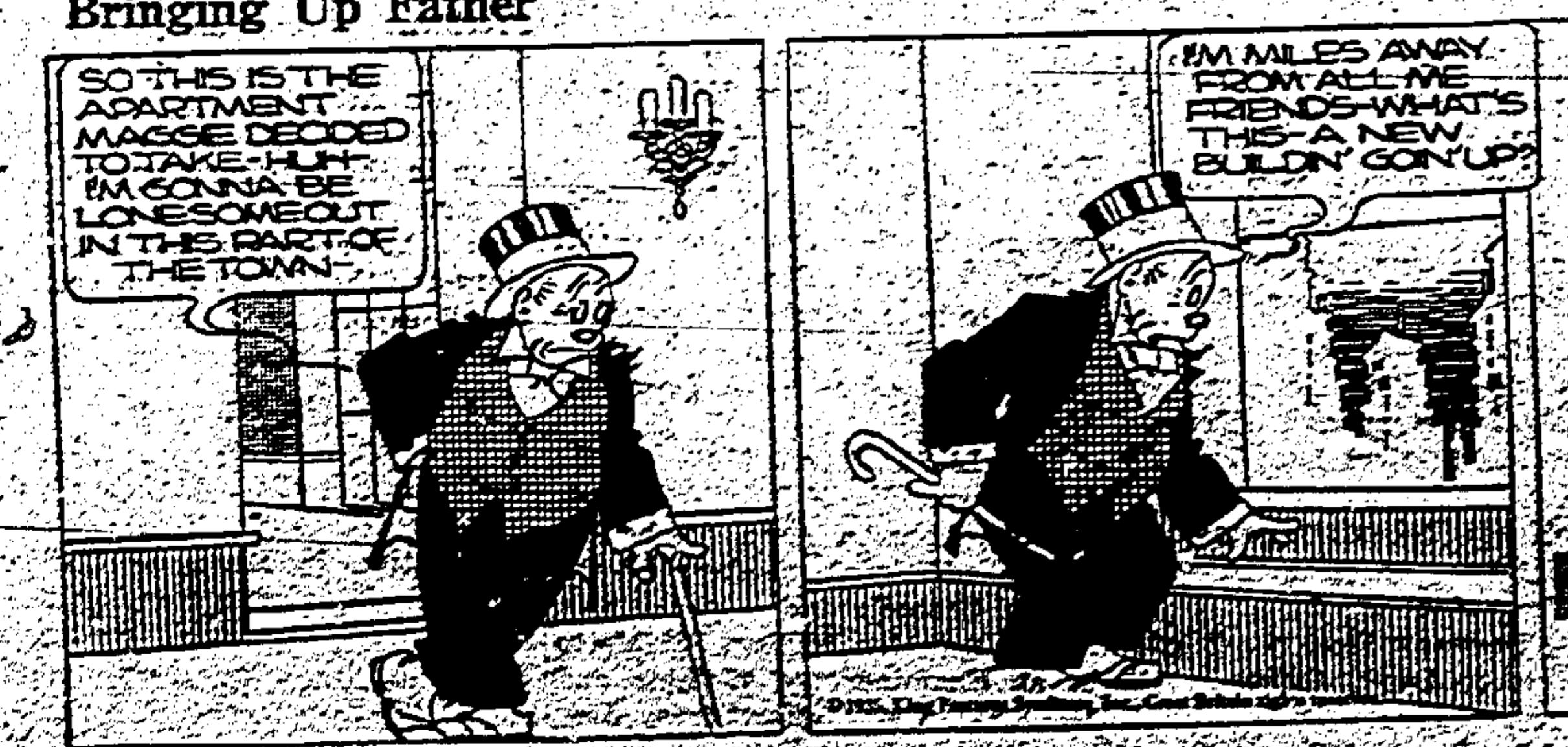
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Amusements

Cinema Notes

BROADWAY MELODY OF 1936—KINGS AND ALHAMBRA THEATRES

So packed with entertainment is "Broadway Melody of 1936," that it at once registers its right to be acclaimed as the greatest extravaganza yet to be made by Hollywood Stars, story, music, dancing, all are present in a satisfying and often thrilling form so splendid and elaborate is the picture and skilfully is it fashioned.

There is glorious comedy, and the story takes dramatic turns which set it above the usual vehicle of its type. The plot is superbly woven amid the gorgeously spectacular specialties and the many song hits all fall naturally out of the streaming action of the production.

For players the cast has as its top personality the gifted Jack Benny, now lending to the screen the brilliant talents that have made him a star on the stage and the outstanding genius of the radio. He handles a grand role perfectly, and he has the most ample and able support from noted performers like Una Merkel, who rings the bell as a wise-cracking secretary, Robert Taylor, a grand romantic male lead, and others.

Eleanor Powell wins triple honors in this picture for she is not only seen as the "world's greatest feminine tap dancer" but handles the ballerina demands finely, and in addition proves she is a fine dramatic actress.

It is practically an all-star cast. Among other triumphant players in the cast are Sid Silvers, "King of stooges," June Knight, Vilma and Buddy Ebsen, Nick Long Jr., Frances Langford, Harry Stockwell and Robert Wildhack and a great many more.

"THE LAST OUTPOST"—QUEEN'S THEATRE

Claude Rains, whose presence distinguishes such films as "The Invisible Man" and "Crime Without Passion," adds new laurels to his distinctive abilities in "Paramount's The Last Outpost." Cary Grant and Gertrude Michael are the other leads. Cut from much the same pattern as "Bengal Lancer" as regards locale, dramatic, punchy action, with the romantic interest slightly subordinated, yet playing an important part in the friendship of two British Officers, "The Last Outpost" succeeds in retaining all the qualities that made "char" such a memorable photoplay.

THE SCARLET PIMPERNEL—STAR THEATRE

The range of film make-up knows no limits.

In "The Scarlet Pimpernel," Leslie Howard, in the name part, has a truly astounding make-up in a scene where the Pimpernel escapes from Paris. He makes his escape as an old hag, and Jimmy Barker, London Film's make-up expert, built out Howard's nose with wax, and covered his cheeks with fish skin which, when dried, gave a remarkable shrivelled appearance. His teeth were blackened and "battered" and from them hung a broken clay pipe.

Another type of native canoe is shown on the 4d. This is a "bonito" or deep-sea fishing canoe. A roll of nets is to be seen in the canoe with the two fishermen. In the background to the left is shown a typical coastal scene of coconut palms and thatched "fale."

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After the double North had no difficulty in reading the inference. He opened the eight of clubs, and by good fortune it was a high enough card to hold the first trick unless dummy covered. If dummy covered, of course, South could continue the suit and establish it while retaining the Ace of hearts as an entry card.

West chose to dock the first club, but South also played low and a continuation by North established the entire suit. Now a diamond finesse lost to the King and North put South in with the heart Ace to run the club and set the three notrump bid two tricks.

The risk that declarer will make his contract and that his mate will be doubled must be taken in such cases. Three notrump doubles



for STAMP COLLECTORS

By A. E. L.

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Sporting Page

H.K. LADIES MUST WIN TO-DAY'S CAER CLARK CUP ENCOUNTER



T. Pile, above, will be given a strenuous time this afternoon on the Kowloon ground, where the Police will entertain the Club in the First Division of the Football League.

WILL S. CHINA "B" LOSE UNBEATEN RECORD TO NAVY

EXCITING CLASH
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All the senior soccer teams in the League will be engaged today, and some very exciting and interesting games should be witnessed, among the most outstanding being the clash between the Club and the Police and the encounter between the Navy and South China "B".

The Club have recently shown a great improvement, and, with Elliot and his forwards in good form, the Police defence will probably have a grueling time.

M. Railton, who has been playing with the juniors for some time, will be seen at right-half again, and his experience should stand him in good stead against Brooks and Mori.

McHardy, in the Police goal, is playing very well at present, while Johnson has also struck his best form.

Navy's Big Chance

South China "B" will probably be fully extended by the Navy and, though their forwards did well last week, they will have to improve in order to avoid defeat for the first time this season.

The champions, South China "A", should easily account for the Artillery, Stonemasons, while St. Joseph's are favoured to beat the Ulster Rifles, who are making their local debut to-day.

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ROVER'S FORECAST

The following is the forecast for the week-end fixtures, giving the favoured team in capital letters:

TO-DAY

FIRST DIVISION
ATHLETIC v Kowloon (Caroline Hill, 4.00 p.m.)
Navy v S. CHINA "B" (Canary Bay, 4.00 p.m.)
Artillery (Scouts) v S. CHINA "A" (Sookunpoo, 4.00 p.m.)
Police v Club (Kowloon, 4.00 p.m.)
EAST LANCs v Artillery (L'v'mm. Prince Edward Ed., 4.00 p.m.)
Ulster Rifles v ST. JOSEPH'S (Military H.V., 4.00 p.m.)
Recreio v FUSILIERS (King's Park, 4.00 p.m.)
SECOND DIVISION
EAST LANCs v Radio (Prince Edward Rd., 2.30 p.m.)
Recreio v University (King's Park, 2.30 p.m.)
Kowloon v ATHLETIC (Kowloon, 2.30 p.m.)
Ulster Rifles v NAVY (Sookunpoo, 2.30 p.m.)
EASTERN v Club (Military H.V., 2.30 p.m.)

TO-MORROW

LAI WAH CUP COMPETITION
CHINESE v CIVIL
Army v NAVY (Caroline Hill, 2.30 p.m.)
SECOND DIVISION
PUBLIERS v Engineers (Caroline Hill, 2.30 p.m.)
THIRD DIVISION
European Police v FUSILIERS (Kowloon, 4.00 p.m.)

CLUB WITHOUT BECK AGAINST C.C.C. WILL TAKE FIELD UNDER OWEN-HUGHES TALL SCORING EXPECTED

(By L. B. W.)

THE most important league cricket fixture this week is that between the Craigengower Cricket Club and the Hong Kong Cricket Club at Happy Valley. The Club will be playing under the leadership of H. Owen Hughes, the former Inter-port skipper, who has already shown that he is in excellent form with the bat, despite the fact that he has only just returned from leave. A. W. Hayward, the Colony skipper, is not playing in this match, probably due to the fact that he has not quite recovered from the hand injury he sustained in the game against the Navy on New Year's Day.

The Craigengower Cricket Club, who will be at full strength, will depend on A. T. Lee, U. M. Omar and J. L. Youngsye insofar as their bowling is concerned, but I doubt whether they will be strong enough to get the Club out for less than 170 runs. The Club should win, though a draw is not improbable.

As far as I can ascertain up till the time of writing, this is the only premier league match, though there are four in the second division—University v Police, Royal Engineers v Craigengower, Recreio v Civil Service and Navy v R.A.M.C.

MIXED DOUBLES CHAMPIONS

WIN WITH EASE

Miss Dalziel's Plucky Resistance

L. Goldman and Miss R. Hancock, the holders, entered the semi-final round of the Colony Mixed Doubles Lawn Tennis Championship yesterday when they completely outclassed G. C. Barrett and Miss O. Dalziel to win by 6-2, 6-0.

They will meet Capt. J. D. Milne and Miss M. Seville next Saturday for right of entry into the Final.

The game was too one-sided to be interesting, though mention must be made of Miss Dalziel's plucky resistance against the hard driving of both opponents.

WOLF CUBS HOLD SPORTS MEET

2nd H.K. Pack Win The
Dalziel Shield

SEA SCOUTS TAKE SECOND POSITION

Securing 34 points against the Sea Scouts' 20, the 2nd. Hong Kong Pack, Wolf Cubs, won the Peter Dalziel Shield at the First Annual Wolf Cub Athletic Sports meeting which was held on the R.A.M.C. at King's Park and yesterday.

There were altogether nine events on the programme and competition throughout was very keen. At the conclusion of the sports Mrs. G. M. Brown distributed the certificates to the success-

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Air Force v C. POLICE (Railway, 2.30 p.m.)
Ulster Rifles v MEDICALS (Chatham Rd., 4.00 p.m.)
Railway v LIGA PORTUGUESA (Railway, 4.00 p.m.)
ENGINEERS v St. Joseph's (Navy H.V., 4.00 p.m.)

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GOLF NOTES

(By "NIBLICK")

AT Kowloon Golf Club the penultimate qualifying places were filled by E. G. Judd with a net 57 and J. McElvie 58. The latter tied with W. G. Geall, who returned a like-score only to be shut out by reason of his second nine being 1½ strokes behind that of McElvie.

The Captain of the Club, A. J. Dennis, had the honour of annexing the first Ecclesiastic Pool with a final return of 7 strokes below par, the score being taken from four cards.

I would remind Kowloon golfers that the last chance of qualifying for the Captain's Cup 1936 will be to-day and to-morrow, the first round being scheduled for January 26.

R. & A. GOLF RULES

A HEATED argument took place in my hearing last week-end as to the penalty incurred through lifting a ball from casual water in a hazard. One gentleman (I hope he is) laid down the law of no penalty—when this catches his eye I would ask him to look up Rule 27.

AND LOCAL RULES

THE stream at the 8th and 17th

holes is declared by local rule to be out of bounds. This rule was framed under the local section in order to obviate the necessity of dropping the ball on the far side of the stream which would have to be done under the R. & A. rules. The geography of the hole is such that in order to comply with the rules of golf, one would have to climb a cliff in order to "drop" on the far side of the stream, hence the declaration of "out of bounds." The penalty under this rule is stroke and distance with no option of playing the ball.

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OVERHEARD AT THE NINETEENTH

"...Eustace and Simmy have had no difficulty in keeping their respective heads down during the holidays."

"...and Rusty calls golf a silly and childish game because his wife can beat him at it."

"...and by the way those chaps behaved I'll bet they were not on spanking terms with their parents when they were young."

"...and many of 'em."

The Juniors

The University failed dismally against the Club juniors last week, and I expect an easy win for the Police, though the latter may find the matting wicket at Pokfulam rather awkward. The same will

perhaps be the case with the Craigengower juniors when they journey to Sookunpoo to meet the Engineers, though they should have no difficulty in winning, despite their draw against the Police last week. The Navy will meet the R.A.M.C. at King's Park and

yesterday.

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VITAL CLASH WILL DECIDE SERIES "Y" LADIES POSSESS FINE ATTACK

INTERPORTERS ON DISPLAY

(By "Sticks")

PROBABLY the best encounter in this season's Caer Clark Cup series will take place this afternoon at Sookunpoo, where the Hong Kong Ladies, champions of and present leaders in the Caer Clark Cup competition, meet the "Y" Ladies, with whom they shared four goals in their First Round fixture on November 16, after the latter had held a two-nil lead at the interval.

While the champions have improved their defence by the inclusion of Miss Glover at right-half, and Miss Helbling, their former left-back, at left-half, their attack still needs strengthening, and, on the face of things, it is now very doubtful whether they will break through the "Y" defence this afternoon.

With Mrs. Read at centre-forward and Miss Adey and Miss Westcott, the Interport wing-combination supporting her on the left, and the Dalziel sisters on the right, the "Y" Ladies have one of the finest forward combinations in the Colony, and it only

remains for their halves to feed them consistently with hard, through passes.

"Although the "Y" Ladies will be opposed to an Interport back and reserve back in Miss Gray and Miss Smalley, their forwards have nothing to fear, being much faster than the champions' defence. A judicious pass between the backs and a race for the ball should lead to several goals."

Miss Helbling's Weakness

Miss Helbling and Miss Glover are two excellent half-backs, particularly at spoiling, but the former lacks power in her clearances and the "Y" Ladies' right-wing should snap up the opportunities going to their way as the result of stray passes.

Although Miss J. Dalziel, the H. K. Ladies' leader, did not strike Interport form, she is not be ignored as a dangerous forward, and Miss Thomson would be well advised to keep as close to her as possible.

Mrs. Henry will be given the difficult task of playing "police woman" to the Marsh-Smalley right-wing and must remember to drop back into defence after having passed the ball forward.

Incidentally, this encounter will furnish the Interport Selection Committee with their first impressions of Interporters in action since the Trials, and as no less than seven players—Mrs. J. Lumson (Goal), Miss E. M. Gray and Miss A. Fowler (Full-backs), Miss M. Bell (Left-half), Miss S. Dalziel (Inside-right), Miss J. Adey (Inside-left) and Miss M. Westcott (Outside-left)—are on display to-day, in addition to Miss J. Smalley, the Interport reserve-half, should hold the Recreio attack.

Miss M. Smith, the Interport right-wing, is unfortunately playing at inside-right, although the team captain may make a last-minute change in order to give Miss Smith an opportunity of practising in her new berth, while Mrs. White will again lead the forwards.

The Recreio-Ladies are making no changes from last Saturday's team.

Recreio Ladies—Miss Z. Barros; Miss C. Gunn and Miss C. Botelho; Miss E. Xavier; Miss M. Alves and Miss E. Silva; Miss B. Remedio; Miss M. Dalziel; Miss H. Hance and Miss C. Ferguson. "Y" Ladies—Miss J. Weller; Miss P. McCaw and Miss A. Fowler; Miss E. Brown; Miss E. Thomson and Miss S. B. Henry; Miss O. Dalziel; Miss S. Dalziel; Mrs. M. Read; Miss J. Adey and Miss P. Westcott.

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Mrs. M. Read, above, is leading the formidable "Y" Ladies' attack against the Hong Kong Ladies in this afternoon's all-important hockey clash at Sookunpoo.

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MACAO HOLD H.K.S.R.A. IN HOCKEY CLASH

BRILLIANT DISPLAY BY AIROSA

10 VISITORS NEARLY BEAT BRIGADE

EXCELLENT DEBUT ON SAND

(By "Sticks")

PLAYING on a gravel pitch for the first time in their competitive hockey careers, the Macao Hockey Club's senior team gave a wonderful performance against the Hong Kong Singapore Brigade, Royal Artillery, team on the Marina ground yesterday, a terrific struggle ending in a goalless draw, despite the fact the visitors were playing the majority of the second half with only 10 men as a result of one of their players being injured!

The outstanding feature of the game was the magnificent performance of the Macao defence and particularly the half-back line which gave the finest display in the Colony with the exception of the Malayan half-back line which was to a large extent responsible for the Colony's defeat.

Airosa, the Macao centre-half, gave a display worthy of an international and was mainly responsible for many openings throughout the game. His positioning was nothing short of marvellous, and the whole game seemed to be centred round him. He was here, there and everywhere, and, try as they could, Tara Singh and his inside-forwards could not shake him off.

CRICKET NEWS FROM NEAR AND FAR

NAIDU'S OBJECTIONS

MAJOR C. K. Naidu, the Indian Test captain has refused to play for the Indian XI in the unofficial Test against Australia. Major Naidu stated that his refusal was due to the composition of the Indian side which was not representative of Indian cricket.

Even though it was only an unofficial Test, for which purpose the Indian team was described as "the Yuvraj of Patiala's XI," Naidu said that the team ought to be the best India could put into the field.

FLEETWOOD-SMITH

DEADLY SHORTLY before the inter-territorial Western Province were all out for 170 to 170 in a match against the Australian touring side. Fleetwood-Smith, with his left-arm googlies, took seven wickets for 71 runs in 33 overs.

G. George was the only player able to do anything against Fleetwood-Smith. The young South African was top scorer with 45 made in 73 minutes.

ALL INDIA FIXTURES

THE All-India cricket team that is touring England next summer will open their programme with a match against Worcester on May 2, 1936. The first Test will be played at Lord's on June 27, 1936, the second at Manchester on July 25, and the third (and final) at the Oval on August 15. They will wind up their programme with a match against the Indian Gymkhana at Osterley, on September 14.

INDIANS FORCE DRAW
 THE Australian touring team drew their two-day match with Maharashtra at Poona in reply to the home team's 205, the Australians scored 349 for four, and declared. J. Ryder, the captain, made 101 not out. Left to score 144 to avoid defeat, the Indians played out time, losing one wicket for 42 runs.

ARMY MAKE CHANGES
 As a result of these setbacks Lieutenant Withers, of the Gunners, who is a very fast centre three-quarter, is making his first appearance for the Army fifteen in support of Ives on the right, while Chaney has been brought into the pack to fill Ap-Rhys-Pryce's vacancy.

Preceding the senior game, the Club "A" will meet a team from H. M. S. Kent.

COL. H. C. HARRISON, D. S. O., will referee the Triangular Tournament game, while Dr. "Jake" Selby will officiate in the junior game.

Club 1st XV.—L. G. Robertson (Captain); H. P. McGilchrist, J. Hutchison, H. C. Meeks, K. A. Munro, A. H. R. Butcher, J. L. Bomar, A. F. Walkden, G. S. Chambers, J. H. McElroy, J. S. Dunnett, W. E. Peers, E. B. Gammell, E. P. Humphreys, M. S. Cumming.

Army—C. Col. Preece (R.W.F.); Bdr. Ives (P.A.), Lt. Withers (P.A.), Lt. Eric Evans (R.W.F. (captain), L. Col. L. Col. Jones (R.W.F.), F. Floyd (R.W.F.), J. A. Hamilton (R.E.), Bdr. Hall (R.A.), Lt. Robert (R.A.), Gen. Wright (R.A.), Sub. Callendar (R.E.), F. Col. Chancery (R.W.F.), F. Morgan (R.W.F.), Capt. Gillespie (R.E.), L. Col. Harrison (R.E.).

Club "A" XV.—P. C. Frost, B. J. Gallagher, Rev. Mackenzie Dow, G. S. Wilson, F. C. Black, W. R. Andrews, S. H. Garrod, B. D. G. Barlow, W. Stoker, J. H. Hawke, F. J. McGowan, R. Hyne, A. D. Coppin.

HELP FOR VARSITIES

THE increasing decline in the number of amateurs playing county cricket is causing such concern that the Board of Control and the Advisory County Committee are considering the question of financially assisting the game at Oxford and Cambridge.

It is felt that as the two Universities form a stronghold of amateur cricket some financial aid should be given if it is required.

The Universities do not share in the profits of Test matches as do the M.C.C. and all the first-class and minor counties.

The M.C.C., however, have made grants to both Universities and in recent years the amount donated has been £500.

FIRST-CLASS UMPIRES

THE following 25 umpires were chosen for first-class matches at the meeting of the captains at Lord's recently:

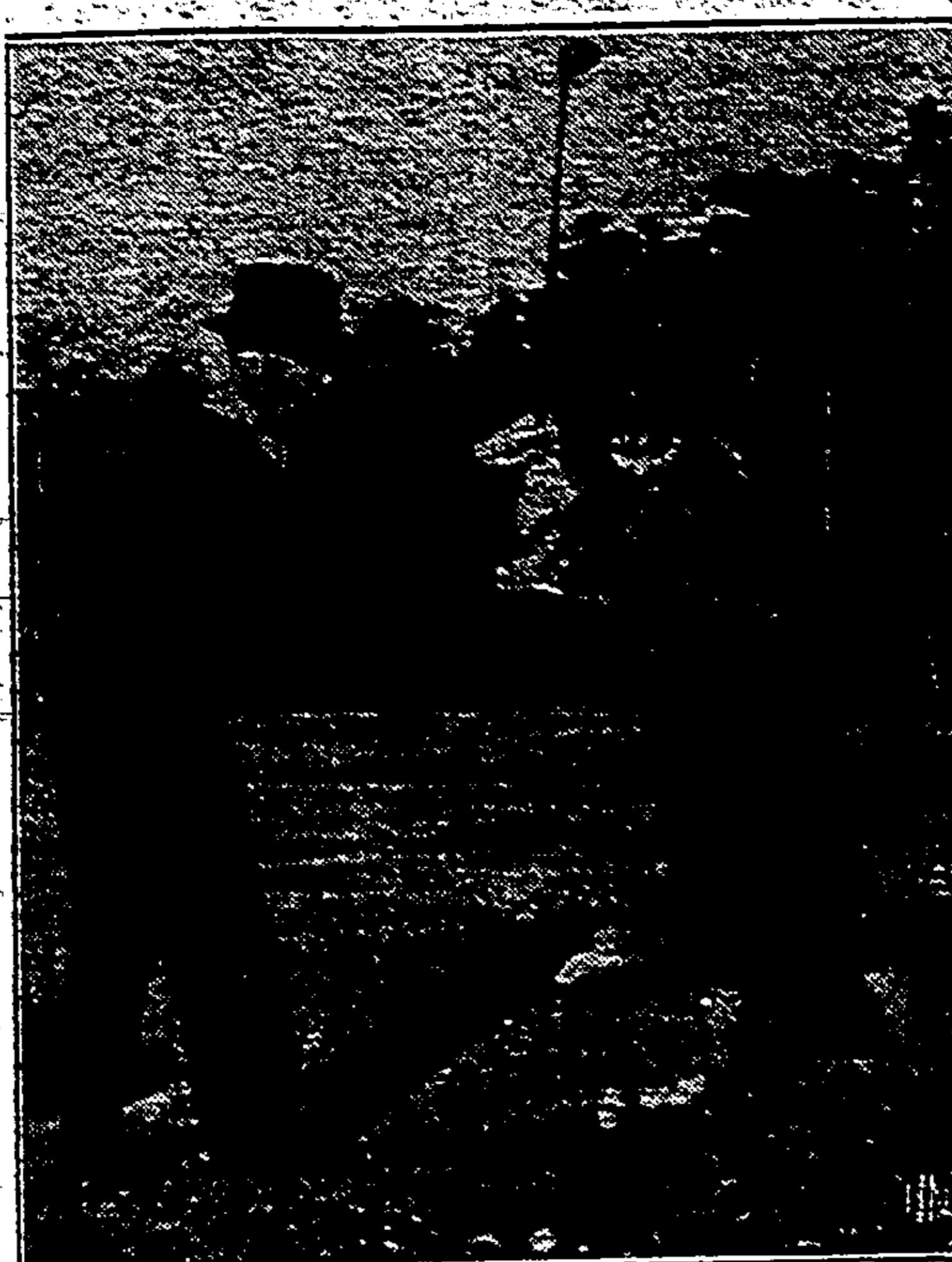
H. G. Baldwin (Surrey), W. Bertwick (Derby), W. A. Burwell (Norfolk), F. Chapman (Worcester), A. Dolman (Yorkshire), J. Headlam (Notts), D. Headlam (Middlesex), and D. Lee (Derby), J. W. Heath (Surrey), G. M. Lee (Derby), H. W. Lee (Middlesex), A. Mortar (Derby), J. Newson (Hants), T. Oates (Notts), S. Scudamore (Leicester), E. J. Smith (Warwick), F. Walden (Northants), G. N. Woolley (Northants), L. C. Braund (Somerset), W. E. Park (Devon), C. W. Parker (Gateshead), G. Cooke (Notts), G. Brown (Hants), G. Best (Derby), A. E. Draper (Gloucester), W. Reeves (Sussex).

SMITH AND BARKER SHINE

DENIS Smith, the Derbyshire Test batsman, and his Yorkshire colleague, Wilfred Barber, figured in a brilliant opening partnership of 204 runs for the M.C.C. in their match against Queensland.

Smith, playing one of his best innings, scored the first century of the tour. Barber just failed by 9 runs to reach three figures.

Barber and Smith punished the bowling and scored at a good rate. In his total of 103 Smith had twelve 4's.



MACAO HOCKEY CLUB TO MEET MAMAK CHAMPIONS TO-DAY

The Macao Hockey Club senior eleven will meet the Kowloon Indian Tennis Club, and not the Punjab Regiment, this afternoon on the U.S.R.C. ground at King's Park commencing at 3 p.m., while their second eleven will encounter the Club de Recreio on the Marina ground at the same time.

MACAO JUNIORS LOSE TO H.K.S.R.A. BY FOUR GOALS

Gunner Forwards Win The Day

FINE PORTUGUESE DEFENCE

A very fast hockey game between the second teams of the Macao Hockey Club and the Hong Kong Singapore Brigade, Royal Artillery, was witnessed yesterday on the Marina ground, when the latter team won by four clear goals.

That the Macao team were not entirely at home on the sand pitch was evident throughout the game. Lt. F. da Costa, the founder of the Macao Hockey Club, took part in the game.

Play in the first half was fairly even, being featured by a brilliant display at right-back by Rodrigues, who formerly played for the senior team. Hard hitting, combined with clever interchanges and stick-work, was his outstanding asset; time and again he

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WOLF CUBS HOLD SPORTS MEET

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ful competitors and the "Peter Dalziel Shield" to the 2nd Hong Kong Pack. Results follow:

The Results

1. Potato Race, Cubs under 10: G. Roselet (Sea Scouts), 2, E. Idefonso (2nd H.K.), 3, N. Keranske (1st Kowloon).

2. Inter-Pack Relay Race: 1, 2nd H.K., 2, 1st Kowloon, 3, 4th Kowloon.

3. Wheelbarrow Race: 1, J. Evans and J. Turner (9th Kowloon), 2, J. Xavier and J. D'Aquino (2nd H.K.).

4. 21. We and D. Mackenzie (12th Kowloon).

5. 80 Yards Flat Race: 1, D. Buchanan (4th Kowloon), 2, R. Sequeira (2nd H.K.), 3, B. Idefonso (2nd H.K.).

6. Sack Race: 1, T. Bayot (1st Kowloon), 2, G. Roselet (Sea Scouts), 3, H. G. Baldwin (Surrey), 4, J. Evans (9th Kowloon).

7. Three-legged Race: 1, B. Taylor and C. Pryday (1st Kowloon), 2, H. Silva and J. Xavier (2nd H.K.), 3, T. Williams and A. Odell (Sea Scouts).

8. Obstetrical Race: 1, J. Lindsay (1st Kowloon), 2, B. Roselet (Sea Scouts), 3, J. Tai (2nd H.K.).

9. Skipping: 1, G. Roselet (Sea Scouts), 2, J. Tai (2nd H.K.), 3, Wong Kit Cheung (1st H.K.).

10. Final Standing: 1st, Peter Dalziel Pack; 2nd, Hong Kong Pack; 3rd, 1st Kowloon.

WILL S. CHINA "B" LOSE UNBEATEN RECORD TO NAVY

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Recreio's Task

In the other senior game the Fusiliers will be all out to reverse the result of their first meeting with the Recreio, and as the latter will not be able to field their best team the Welshmen should obtain both the points.

Kowloon, who caused the greatest surprise in the Shield series when they beat the Fusiliers, will meet the Athletic.

The only game of note in the Second Division is that between The Fusiliers and the Engineers, which should produce some good football.

In the Third Division the clash between the European Police and the Fusiliers, present leaders of the Division, should be an even game. The Police have been strengthened by the reinstatement of several senior players, but the Fusiliers should win as they have the better combination and understanding.

FINAL STANDING

Champion Pack: 2nd Hong Kong

24 points, Sea Scouts: 20 points, 1st Kowloon: 17 points.



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A Grave Moment In World History

If the success of a Conference depended upon the degree of desirability that it should succeed we should have no anxiety as to the outcome of the London Naval Conference which was formally opened in London on December 10. Unfortunately the records of the Disarmament Conference and of the International Monetary Conference are of too recent date to permit of any fair optimism that what Mr. Baldwin called the calamity of a return to unrestricted naval competition must surely be averted. In order that it may be averted all the Powers represented will have to show themselves ready to "yield a little of their maximum demands for the sake of the general good." The British Government, the Prime Minister said, attach the utmost importance to a continuance of limitation in both the quantitative and the qualitative fields. They are anxious to see a reduction in size in all the larger types of ships and in the guns they carry. They will also press as they have done consistently since the war for the abolition of the submarine.

Japan and France have hitherto rejected that proposition on the ground that the submarine is primarily a defensive instrument and is indispensable to the lesser Naval Powers. Nor is there reason to suppose that they have changed or will change their point of view, though an ocean-going submarine has a far greater radius of offensive action than a battleship. What may, however, with some confidence be expected is that all Five Naval Powers will pledge themselves against unrestricted submarine warfare as it was practised by Germany in the Great War, though it was happily renounced by Germany in her recent Naval agreement with Britain. As regards quantitative reduction, the larger success of the Conference, it would seem, depends mainly upon the attitude finally adopted by Japan. Admiral Nagano stated in the first instance that his Government stood firmly by the principles of a "common upper limit" to be fixed as low as possible. If that is uncompromisingly adhered to as a condition precedent hopes of the larger agreement will rapidly diminish.

The United States will not accept the Japanese claim to equality in total tonnage, since it means a claim to an enormous accession of strength. Nor will it be accepted by Great Britain, whose Imperial interests are scattered all over the world, whereas Japan holds an impregnable position in her own Far Eastern waters and her Empire is compact and invulnerable by sea. Japan's principle of "a common upper limit of armaments" may sound reasonable in the abstract, but the real point is that it is a proposal vastly to increase and not to reduce naval armaments. If security is the justification for armaments, Japan's advantages are immeasurably greater than those of the other Naval Powers. Mr. Roosevelt's proposal for an all-round total tonnage reduction of 20 per cent is no less certain to be rejected by Japan, whose foreign policy, it is impossible to forget, has for some years past been dictated by her Army and Navy Chiefs. The

EXPLANATION OF YESTERDAY'S CARTOON

THE GENIUS OF HUNGARY

JÓZSEF MÓR (1825-1904) Hungarian patriot, statesman, novelist, poet and sculptor, is one of the most prolific writing geniuses of all time. For 66 years he wrote 30,000 words daily. He edited a newspaper at the same time and wrote 400 best-sellers. His novels are in a class by themselves. He was also a Member of the Hungarian Senate and a first-class orator. When he celebrated his golden anniversary as writer in 1888, 3,500 cities and towns of

Hungary bestowed on him the freedom of their city. The Government published his collected works and every adult Hungarian bought 100 volumes. In his youth, he was condemned to death for revolutionary activities against Austria. An ingenious ruse on the part of his wife saved him from the hangman's noose.

LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

His Excellency the Governor, Sir Andrew Caldecott, has signified his intention of being present at Madame Madalena Masson's recital on Tuesday next at the Helena May Institute and Sir Thomas and Lady Southorn, under whose patronage Madame Masson will appear, will also be there.

A dinner dance will be held at Repulse Bay Hotel this evening. A special extra bus service has been arranged for the convenience of the patrons in addition to the ordinary time table.

The monthly dance at the Sailors' and Soldiers' Home will be held on Wednesday next, January 8, beginning at 8.30 p.m. Tickets are now on sale at the usual price of \$1.

It is notified that trains leaving for Shemanghui to-day, which will enable the public to visit the New Territories Agricultural Show, will depart from Kowloon as follows: 8.45 a.m. 9.55 a.m. 12 noon, and 1.20 p.m.

The Police Branch of the Ministry are holding a whist and mah jongg drive at the Police Recreation Club on Tuesday, January 14, beginning at 3 p.m.; admission \$1 each, which includes tea. Mah jongg players are asked to bring their own sets, racks, etc.

A fine of \$3 was imposed upon Lieut. E. O. Wanless, of Kingsclere Hotel, Cameron Road, by Mr. E. L. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday, for failing to have a red light on the rear of his private car No. 1452 at Sai Kung Road on December 10 at 7 p.m. H. J. Gaterres, of No. 22 Granville Road, was summoned for a similar offence and was also fined \$3.

A Gazette notification states that the King's Executive empowering Monsieur Soulangé Tessier to act as French Consul at Hong Kong has received His Majesty's signature.

The number of emigrants leaving the Colony for the Straits Settlements during the month of December was 7,560.

The "Hong Kong (Non-domiciled parties) Divorce Rules, 1936" are published in the Government Gazette for general information.

occasion calls on all the Naval Powers for common sense, for a bold application of the lessons of naval experience since 1900, and for a serious attempt to visualise the appalling and monstrous waste of money wrung out of hard-working taxpayers for expenditure on engines of war which a wise statesmanship will not dare to risk against others of seemingly equal power. It is a solemn moment in the history of the world.

Here
There
and
Everywhere.

AN ECHO OF DOLFINUS

The expulsion of Major Fey from the Austrian Cabinet was the sequel to the long-standing private feud between him and Prince Starhemberg.

Fey, who looks like a Prussian and is, indeed, of German origin, has a great war record. His reputation, however, has suffered ever since the murder of Dr. Dollfuss.

He was with Dollfuss when the Nazi assassins burst into the room. For several hours Vienna believed that he, too, was dead. He emerged from the Chancellery unscathed after negotiating with the murderers.

This unromantic escape helped to undermine his reputation for daring-do. It did more. It enabled his enemies to spread the rumour that his forte was keeping in with both sides.

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AN ILLOGICAL POSITION

With the aid of these suspicions Prince Starhemberg has now been able to rid himself of his one rival as a military leader.

For the moment it is unlikely that Fey will even try to make trouble or that the Vienna Heimwehr regiments will rise on his behalf. But his day may come again.

The weakness of the present Austrian Government is that its existence depends on Italian support.

Your Daily Smile!

Professor (to class): "There's a young man in this class making a jackass of himself. When he is finished, I'll start."

Mother: "Oh, Freddie, I thought we had all agreed to economize, and here I find you eating bread with jam and butter on it."

Freddie: "Why, of course, Mother, one slice of bread does for both."

A father and his little boy were having a discussion on legal matters.

What is a retaining fee?" asked the little boy.

His father replied: "A retaining fee is a fee paid to a lawyer before he will undertake to do any work for a client."

"Oh!" replied the little boy, "like putting a shilling in the meter before you get any gas."

HORSE SENSE
"Dad, when has a fellow horse sense?"

"When he can say 'nay,' son."

On every occasion the veterans of the two countries have been at one in recalling a glorious brotherhood of arms, mutual esteem, and complete reconciliation. From a sentimental standpoint they have been in perfect harmony.

WHAT FRENCHMEN SEEK TO-DAY

PERIODIC CONTACTS BY EX-SERVICEMEN AGREEMENT WITH GERMANY IN GENERAL SECURITY SYSTEM

(By Francois de Tessa)

Former French Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs

We hear periodically that Politically, however, the question is more delicate. The Franco-German relations are about to enter a new phase. Speeches are made, visits of prominent or official personages are announced in Paris and Berlin, and newspapers point out the possible evolution of relations between the Third Reich and the French Republic.

Special attention has been paid to this problem for some time. Gen. Goering, in an outburst at Saarbrücken on Nov. 2, turned to the French to say:

"Give up that extravagant idea that we are watching for the moment to spring at France. We learned to know each other in the great struggle between the peoples, and we esteem each other. There is no longer any need to try our strength in a passage of arms. We prefer to cease our rivalries in peaceful work."

Such words do not leave the French untouched. Everybody hopes that a regime of neighbourliness will be established. Everybody longs for a stable peace. Everybody, and particularly the ex-Servicemen, acknowledges German bravery, and would like to see it applied to Continental reconstruction.

Veterans Meet

There have been frequent contacts between French and German veterans. The first important one was Aug. 2, 1934, between M. Henri Picot, president of the Veterans' Federal Union, and Herr Oberlindner, head of the National-Socialist ex-Servicemen. There have been others since the most recent a few weeks back.

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"BELIEVE IT OR NOT" by Robert L. Ripley



AIR MAIL SERVICES TO AND FROM MALAYA

BRITISH AIR MAIL SERVICES IN THE FUTURE

Imperial Airways Expansion

REVOLUTIONARY PLANNING ANNOUNCED

Only gradually is the public beginning to absorb the far-reaching advantages of the revolutionary undertaking the Government recently entrusted to Imperial Airways, when a world-wide announcement was made that it is planned that by 1937 all first class letter mail within the British Empire will, so far as is practicable, be carried throughout by air at approximately the same postage fee as is now charged for surface mail.

When this project is actually achieved, the benefits to the Far-East, and Malaya in particular, by receiving a 1½d letter posted 4½ days before it reaches London will be incalculable; the day will then have passed when the air mail is regarded as a rare and expensive facility to be used only as the exception, not as the rule.

New Fleets Planned

A recent announcement of the Chairman of Imperial Airways outlined the planning of a new fleet, which is now already under construction, and which is specially designed to legislate for the bulk carriage of Empire letter mail by air. By 1937 it is planned that the main trunk routes—England to Australia and England to Cape Town—will be operated by flying ships, which will travel by day, and given suitable ground organisation, by night also, at a speed which should ensure a faster schedule, thus eventually bringing Singapore within 4½ days of London, Australia within 7 days and Cape Town within 4 days.

This new fleet of flying ships, the construction of which is illustrated in this issue will total 29 in number, each weighing approximately 17 tons when fully loaded; it will be the largest air liner fleet in the world.

Luxurious Appointments

Performance is expected to eclipse any ship that has been produced so far by aerial transport; equipment will include luxurious seating accommodation for 24 people during the day, and sleeping accommodation for 16 at night, by means of four cabins forward, midships, promenade and aft; in addition to which there will be a spacious Captain's bridge in the nose on the upper deck, freight and mail compartment, a kitchen and two toilets.

The decision of Imperial Airways to operate flying ships on the greater part of their main trunk routes may be readily understood when it is appreciated to what great extent the route England/Australia alone is flown over water.

Many Difficulties

Many difficulties at present experienced over all the Empire routes in the selection and maintenance of aerodromes under bad weather conditions will also be eliminated; and where short land crossings need to be effected, the ships of the air will, where necessary, make use of suitable lakes and rivers for alighting.

Malaya, so it is proposed, is to have three services per week to and from London and since the present plans are designed to inaugurate the new "all letter mail by air mail" era by 1937 if practicable, it is anticipated that experimental flights will be made over the routes towards the end of the coming year.

LANDING FIELD FOR CALIFORNIA

The U.S. navy has leased 250 acres of land and 100 acres of water at Long Beach, Calif., and will spend a quarter of a million dollars there in the construction of landing field.

BLIND APPROACHES

The Newark airport at Newark, N.J., has installed radio transmitters and lights to assist pilots in making blind approaches to the landing area when visibility is poor.



GAINING A DAY TRANS-PACIFIC SERVICE

Crossing International Date Line

"Call it a day" will soon have a new meaning on the trans-Pacific air route which Pan-American Airways have inaugurated with Sikorsky flying boats. The Westbound boat flying from San Francisco to Manila and China finds itself 24 hours behind its schedule when crossing the International Date Line at the 180th degree of longitude.

The Eastbound aircraft, homing for the American Pacific coast gains a day.

AIR SAFETY IN FOG
Improvements At Heston

LORENZ SYSTEM TO BE INSTALLED

London: Heston aerodrome will be the first British air port to be equipped with means for guiding to a safe landing in fog aircraft whose pilots cannot see the ground or the aerodrome boundaries.

The system is the Lorenz invented in Germany. It has been designed with a view to standardisation at all international aerodromes, and has been adopted in many countries. It is already installed or being completed at:

| | | |
|------------|---------|-----------|
| Paris | Moscow | Oslo |
| Vienna | Cologne | Rotterdam |
| Zurich | Warsaw | Danzig |
| Copenhagen | Malmö | Berlin |

Responding Instruments

In addition to these places, other German towns are being added to the list. More than 50 passenger aeroplanes of German air lines are being equipped with the necessary responding instruments.

Experience is needed by pilots who have to use this, or any other, fog-landing system. Few British pilots except those engaged on Air Ministry research have the experience, but Heston airport is used by foreign air travellers, and such equipment is therefore much needed.

As at present installed at Heston, the only claim made for the system is the modest one that it should provide satisfactory proof of its ability to facilitate the approach and landing of aeroplanes in bad visibility. "Later modifications are contemplated which should permit of wholly 'blind' landings being carried out," it is stated.

Experiments Proceeding
Experiments are being carried out by the Air Ministry with another system a Viastra aeroplane, already announced, being used for this purpose. This system is similar to the Lorenz. A system adopted by the American Bureau of Air Commerce is somewhat different.

As recently announced experiments are proceeding in Great Britain with an entirely new method, depending upon infra-red rays. Progress at Heston is due largely to the efforts of Mr. Frederick Denman, the technical director, who has studied the different systems in the United States and Germany.

INLAND PLANES IN NEW GUINEA

3,000 Trips Without Mishap

Adelaide

The way spots in New Guinea, otherwise inaccessible for transport, have been reached by aeroplanes carrying heavy loads, makes a story as romantic as any in the history of this mandated territory.

When operators of Guinea Airways Ltd suggested that machinery should be taken up by plane, the inhabitants said it was impossible. Yet since the company was formed in 1927, it has carried more than 5,000,000 pounds of cargo and more than 5,000 passengers, making 3,000 trips without mishap.

PILOTS HAVE LONG SERVICE

Five pilots of the Caribbean Division of the Pan American Airways system are credited with more than 1,100,000 miles of flying each.



SCHEDULES COMPARED DIFFERENCES SLIGHT

Greater Elasticity On British Lines

In connection with the heavy increase of air mail over Christmas, necessitating duplication of the Imperial Airmail services in and out of Malaya, it is pointed out that now that the KLM (Royal Dutch Air Line) has reverted to its winter schedule the difference between the Dutch and Imperial air mail deliveries is very slight.

An examination of the two time tables shows that the respective times required to get a return letter from London are:

Dutch 16 days 12 hours.

Imperial 17 18

The difference in time between the two services is reduced by the fact that the connecting mail to London from Amsterdam does not leave until the day after the arrival of the KLM plane from the Far East. Most of the mail carried on the Dutch liners is for Holland.

Imperial Airways do not alter their schedule in the European winter.

Consistent Schedule

As is well known, Imperial Airways operate their Empire services to a schedule and route which is consistent throughout the year; their operating schedule is based on a careful study of known weather conditions, and sufficient elasticity is incorporated in their time table to ensure maximum regularity, given normal operating conditions.

The progressive speeding up of Empire communications by latter air mail, however, remains always one of the chief problems for constant study; it was only some 12 months ago that the first tangible step towards realisation of "all letter mail by air mail" was introduced, when an exclusive zoning of Imperial air mail rates to and from the Home country gave the British Near East the equivalent of a 3d rate per ½ oz.; and the British Middle and Far East the approximate equivalent of a 6d rate, each being approximately one-half of the rates previously charged.

Further Strides

Recent announcements from London indicate the further tremendous stride which has already been effected to legislate for "all letter mail by air mail," a new fleet of no fewer than 29 four-engined flying boats having been placed on order, each having a mail carrying capacity of 3½-5 tons, according to the amount of fuel carried. Thus 1937 should

see realisation of an Empire wide scheme, which already is under way, and which should place Britain in the forefront of the world's commercial air transport.

Time Gained

Since 1883 a system of Standard Time by zones has been gradually and universally adopted. Each zone differs from Greenwich Mean Time by an integral number of hours, each place being fast or slow of G.M.T.

Time is gained when flying eastward because the pilot is flying towards a rising sun and is thus flying towards more and more daylight.

When flying westward he is proceeding towards a setting sun and, therefore, towards more darkness.

The flying boat proceeding eastward from Canton to California is thus gaining time at the rate of about one hour per 800 miles throughout the flight. About 12 hours are gained on the total flight.

When the 180th meridian is reached this accumulation of gain is expressed in terms of a day.

The air passengers may leave China on Monday and be due at California on Wednesday.

Although the trip may be scheduled to take three days they will find it is only Tuesday at California, and it will appear as if the 8,562 miles have been miraculously completed in two instead of three days.

MERGER IN BRITAIN

Great Britain, following the lead of France, has merged all its independent airlines into one unit which will be called "Allied British Airways."

The Brazilians were much im-

pressed by Miss Batten's daintiness.

She was very calm and did not look excessively neat.

She flew back with a mechanic to inspect her plane. It proved

impossible to repair it on the spot

so she returned to-night and is staying at the British Embassy.

"I am very pleased to have arrived safely," said Miss Batten,

"and incidentally to have broken the record for the London-to-Brazil flight and the Atlantic crossing. I hope to fetch my plane and land at Campos dos Afonsos to-morrow."

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NEW AFRICAN SERVICE

Africa is being rapidly criss-

crossed by a network of air lines.

Imperial Airways will shortly open

a service to West Africa. The

new link will branch from the

main Cairo-to-Cape Town line in

the Anglo-Egyptian Sudan.

AVIATION HEROES HONOURED

Personally Decorated By President

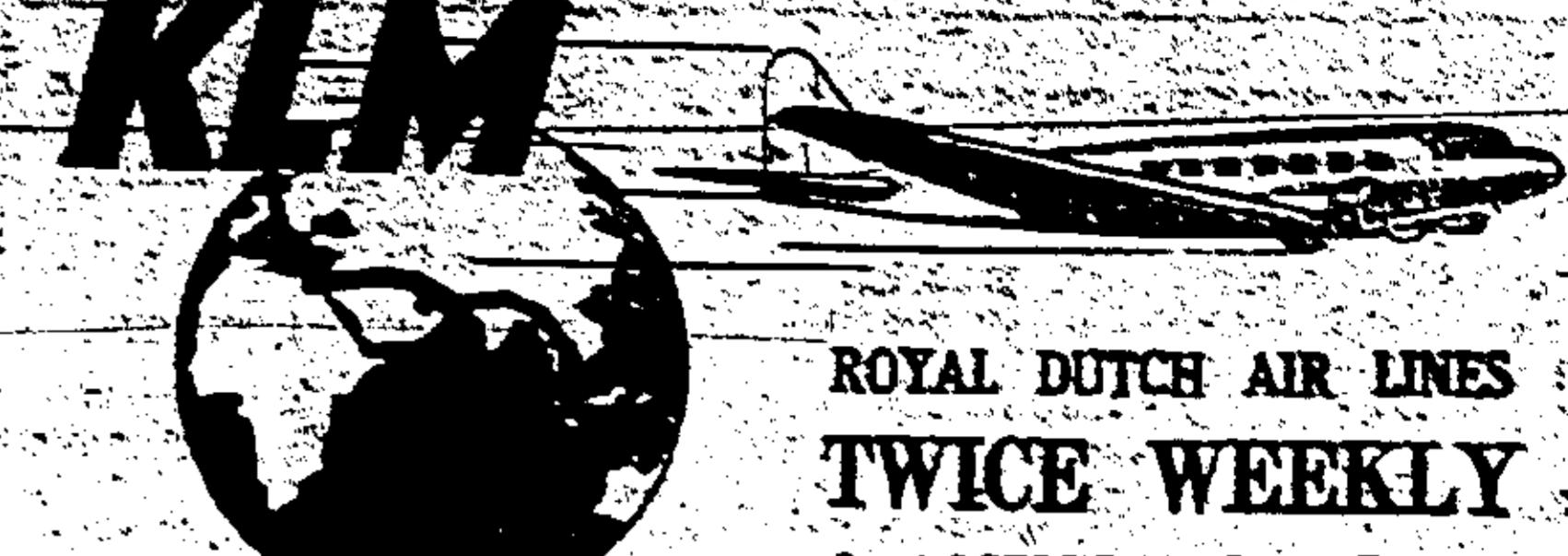
Washington. Aviation heroes of the past year who saved the lives of passengers of the U.S. mail at grave risks to themselves received honour awards personally from President Roosevelt here this week.

To seven pilots were handed personally by the President the airmail fliers' medal of honour, authorised by Congress in 1931. Two co-pilots, not authorised under the act to receive the medals, received letters of commendation for heroic acts.

The awards are made on the strength of recommendations of the Post Office Department Postmaster General James A. Farley assisted the President at the presentations.

U.S. PLANE PRODUCTS

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MIXED DOUBLES BADMINTON

ST. JOHN'S BIG VICTORY

C.R.C. Nearly Fall To Saints

St. John's secured their first clean sweep victory in the Mixed Doubles Badminton League last night at Wan Chai, when they defeated the Sailors' and Soldiers' Home by nine sets to nil, while at the St. Andrew's Church Hall, the Chinese Recreation Club were nearly beaten by the St. Andrew's Club, who lost by only the odd set in nine.

At the Central Police Station, the Fire-Brigade Recreation Club added another easy win to their long list by beating the Kowloon Tong Club by 7 sets to 2.

The fixture between the Recreio "A" and their juniors was postponed owing to the indisposition of some of their players.

Detailed results were as follows:

C.R.C.'s Narrow Win

At St. Andrew's Church Hall last night, the Chinese Recreation Club beat the St. Andrew's Club by 5 sets to 4.

E. F. Fischer and Miss M. Churn (St. Andrew's) -

lost to W. C. Choy and Miss

W. Cheung

17-21

beat S. W. Liang and Mrs.

Liang

21-7

beat H. T. Woo and Miss

Ulian Kho

24-21

H. Kew and Miss F. Wong (St.

Andrew's) -

lost to Choy and Cheung

21-7

beat Liang and Liang

21-4

lost to Woo and Kho

16-21

R. H. Ngan and Miss E. Elias (St. Andrew's) -

lost to Choy and Cheung

21-7

beat Liang and Liang

23-25

lost to Woo and Kho

6-21

St. John's Easy Win

At Wan Chai last night, the St. John's Club beat the Sailors' and Soldiers' Home by 9 sets to nil.

G. A. Smith and Mrs. Badlow (St.

John's) -

beat W. Heath and Miss Doig

21-7

beat A. Edwards and Mrs.

Lloyd-Jones

21-0

beat Mr. and Mrs. Sprague

21-0

F. H. Kwok and Miss M. Smith (St. John's) -

beat Heath and Doig

21-7

beat Edwards and Lloyd-Jones

21-1

beat Mr. and Mrs. Sprague

21-1

R. Koh and Miss McCaw (St.

John's) -

beat Heath and Doig

21-7

beat Edwards and Lloyd-Jones

21-6

beat Mr. and Mrs. Sprague

21-4

Kowloon Tong Defeated

At the Central Police Station last night, the Fire-Brigade Recreation Club beat the Kowloon Tong Club by 7 sets to 2.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. H. Shantz (Fire

Brigade) -

beat S. A. Gray and Miss A.

Mackenzie

21-11

beat P. Letng and Mrs. White

21-0

beat G. A. White and Miss M.

Bryson

21-4

J. L. Anderson and Mrs. Wild

(Fire Brigade) -

lost to Gray and Mackenzie

3-21

lost to Letng and White

17-21

beat White and Bryson

21-9

A. L. Fisher and Mrs. Kirkwood

(Fire Brigade) -

beat Gray and Mackenzie

21-12

beat Letng and White

21-5

beat White and Bryson

21-5

League Table To Date

| | Games | P | W | L | F | A | Pts |
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| Fire Brigades | 6 | 6 | 0 | 45 | 9 | 12 | |
| C. R. C. | 6 | 5 | 1 | 35 | 19 | 10 | |
| Recreio "A" | 4 | 4 | 0 | 35 | 1 | 3 | |
| Recreio "B" | 5 | 3 | 2 | 32 | 13 | 6 | |
| St. Andrew's | 6 | 3 | 3 | 24 | 30 | 6 | |
| St. John's | 6 | 2 | 4 | 22 | 25 | 4 | |
| Tai Kok | 6 | 1 | 5 | 12 | 42 | 0 | |
| S. and S. Home | 5 | 0 | 5 | 14 | 0 | 0 | |
| Kowloon Tong | 6 | 0 | 6 | 12 | 42 | 0 | |

BURNING COBWEBS CAUSE FIRE

Culprits Watch Fighters With Enthusiasm

Prague—Five Brigades from all the surrounding country—including three German brigades from across the frontier—were summoned to put out a fire at Hati Czechoslovakia, Silesia, caused by children burning cobwebs in a barn.

One child absconded, threw a match on to some straw in the barn and soon flames were leaping in every direction.

A strong wind was blowing and the fire spread to neighbouring buildings.

Situation Saved

The whole village seemed in danger of destruction, but eventually the fire brigades which began arriving from all quarters managed to save the situation.

The children who had caused all the trouble escaped from the barn unharmed, and watched the efforts of the firemen with enthusiasm.

Reuter



To-day's Short Story

The Heart Being Perished

By Frances M. Frost

THE farm lay on the top of the hill and while he died of pneumonia leaving him the grass meadows were level farm, which was heavily mortgaged around the house and the barn. He had had some schooling when those fields which had to be ploughed slanted downward toward hollows that rose immediately into other and lower hills. His father said that if you went up and down the lower hills long enough, you'd get to the big river valley and to Manchester.

Eastward the higher hills rose in successive ridges above the farm and turned into mountains that loomed deep blue against the sunrise and grew softly and warmly massive in the summer dusk. When he was driving the cows to pasture or crossing the yard to the barn with a pail of garbage to be dumped into the pig-pen, he liked to look at the mountains. When his eyes rested on them, it was as if he had been away and had suddenly come home. It was like having a drink of spring water in the middle of a hot hayfield.

"What you going to do now, John? Goin' to keep house by yourself?"

"There ain't nothing else to do. I guess I can manage. Dad and I got along all right."

"You ought to get married, a young fellow like you."

"I got to pay off the mortgage on this place first."

"Then you'll be married when you're eighty," Clint said.

John said, "Well, I'll think about it. Tell Mrs. Hard thank you for the food, Clint."

He was a good-looking boy, freckled and brown as an Indian, for he wore no shirt from spring until autumn, liking the feeling of sun and wind and rain on his skin. His mother died when he was ten. His elder brothers, all but Jim, went away and got farms of their own in York State; and when he was 18, Jim went, too.

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AGRICULTURAL SHOW

Exhibition To-day At Shek Wu Hui

The ninth annual exhibition of the New Territories Agricultural Association will be officially opened by Mr. Lawrence Kadoorie at Shek Wu Hui, near the Sheung Shui Railway Station, at 2.30 p.m. to-day.

The first inking Sally had that she had married a poet as well as a farmer was the forenoon two weeks after the wedding, when he came to her with some star-flowers he had found in the wood.

"I can't give you a gramophone or nice things," he said, "because we've got the mortgage, but I can bring you wood things, if you like."

She put a hand softly on his cheek. "I like wood things better, John."

"Here's a poem," he said. "It goes like this:

"Thou knowest how poor a trifling man is,

"And learnst thus much by our

"Anatomie,

"The heart being perished, no part

"can be free."

Ten sheds have been erected to allow the farmers to exhibit produce grown on New Territories soil. Service men will be admitted free to the grounds of the Show, while a small entrance fee will be imposed on those wishing to see the exhibition.

The Army will meet the Civil Service at Happy Valley and should win, though I doubt whether the Army bowlers will find the Civil Service wicket to their liking, it being "pretty dead."

The Army: Capt. L. J. Walsh (Capt.), Capt. D. W. Perse, Lieut. J. B. Johnson, Lieut. E. M. Dawson, Lieut. J. P. Williams, Lieut. D. M. C. Pritchard, C. S. M. Elvin, Sergt. Daniels, Pte. Herbert, Cpl. Ballard and Fns. King.

Royal Navy: 2nd Lt. Comdr. Barry, Lt. Comdr. Garwood, Lt. Bone, Mr. Birrell, A. E. Dale, O. S. Dave, P. O. Lamb, Chief E. R. A. Vickery, E. R. A. Cripps, S. B. A. Robinson and A. B. Hinde.

H.K.S.R.A.—Fervor Ali; Hazar Singh, Lieut. C. Ravenni and Naik Tara Singh; Gnr. Khuda Bux, Lieut. C. C. Garthwaite, Hav. Tara Singh, Naik Khuda Bux and Chajja Singh.

Meeting At Last With Fred Bartholomew

Hollywood: The long-awaited meeting between Shirley Temple and Freddie Bartholomew has happened at last.

Hearing of Freddie Bartholomew was at work in the same studios Shirley Temple wrote him a neat invitation to tea. He accepted, and they were formally introduced, whereafter Freddie Bartholomew completely charmed his hostess with his "English accent."

Freddie Bartholomew is at present at work on "Professional Soldier," with Victor McLaglen. Shirley Temple is making "The Littlest Rebel." —Renter

POSTHUMOUS CHILD

Daughter For Air Crash Victim

London: The birth of a daughter in London to Mr. Arthur Schag Montefiore, the nephew of Viscount Bearsted, who was killed in an aeroplane crash in April, was announced last month.

His wife, formerly Miss Jacqueline Nathan, is 22. Mr. Schag Montefiore was 23. There is one other child—a son.

Mr. Schag Montefiore died this life when the machine in which he was flying from Heston to his estate at Langdon Park stalled at 300 ft. in trading. His passenger, Mr. G. Stevenson, a London barrister, was also killed.

Mr. Schag Montefiore left a fortune of £220,000.

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H.K. VOLUNTEER DEFENCE CORPS ORDERS FOR THE COMING WEEK

Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps Orders by Lieutenant-Colonel H. B. L. Dowbiggin, O.B.E. Commandant, Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps.

Hong Kong.

Friday, 3rd January, 1936.

GENERAL APPOINTMENT

Captain J. K. Bonsfield, M.C., assumed Command of A.S.C. Cadre vice Major C. M. Manners, O.B.E., with effect from 1st January, 1936.

PARADE

Corps 1st Battery "A" Section will parade at Belcher's Fort on Thursday, 9th January, 1936 at 6 p.m.

Dress—Overalls, Blue Cap and Gun Platform Shoes.

"L" Section will parade at Volunteer Headquarters every Friday at 5.30 p.m. until further orders.

Corps Engineers

Parade at Miniature Range Monday, 6th January 1936 at 5.30 p.m.

Thursday, 9th January 1936—D. I. Training at Belcher's Fort. Parade at 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. (in conjunction with the Corps 1st Battery).

Corps Signals

Parade at Corps Headquarters on Tuesday, 7th January, 1936 at 5.30 p.m. A full attendance is required.

M. G. Troop

Parade at Volunteer Headquarters on Tuesday, 7th January, 1936 at 5.30 p.m. for M. G. Instruction.

Armoured Car Section

Section will parade at Volunteer Headquarters on Tuesday, January, 1936 at 5.30 p.m.

leaves as from 4.10.35 to 4.6.1936.

No. 757, Pte. W. M. Groves, No. 1 (M.G.) Company, granted leave

as from 23.11.35 to 23.8.1936.

TRANSFER

Major C. M. Manners, O.B.E., O.C. A.S.C. Cadre, is transferred to Reserve of Officers with effect from 1st January, 1936.

STRUCK OFF THE STRENGTH

Left The Colony. Gunner E. R. Brasier-Creagh, M.C. as from 16th November, 1935.

Having Completed Three Years' Service

No. 1756, Pte. A. E. C. Allemar, No. 11 Platoon, "A" Company, Corps Infantry, as from 5th November, 1935.

STRENGTH

No. 2525, Gunner, James Lee, 1st Battery, "L" Section—27.12.35.

Captain, (Sdg.) R. C. B. ANDERSON.

Adjutant, H.K.V.D. Corps.

AFFILIATED UNITS

Nursing Detachment, H.K.V.D.C.

LECTURE

The tenth lecture in Home Nursing will take place at P.W.D. Office at 5.30 p.m. on Monday, 6th January, 1936.

Head Storeman will arrange from beda, linen &c.

(Sdg.) K. DURAN.

Commandant, Nursing Detachment, H.K.V.D.C.

LAW

The following Officers and other ranks have been selected for the next Junior Wing Court which commences on Monday, 12th January, at 5.30 p.m. at Volunteer Headquarters and each Monday thereafter until the end of March, 1936.

Range Officer—2nd Lieut. H. A. de B. Botelho.

Lance will leave Queen's Pier at 8.15 a.m. and Kowloon at 8.30 a.m.

APPENDIX

Categories—"A" Lewis Gun—Lesson—Practice Test of Elementary Training, Test 1—5. Location—Headquarters.

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"C" & "D" Foot & Arms Drill—Headquarters.

"B" Company

Class A—Lewis Gun (Ground Training). Stripping and Assembling—Headquarters.

Class B—Lewis Gun (Ground Training). Elementary Handling—Headquarters.

APPOINTMENT

No. 1712, Gunner A. H. Dunnin, Corps 1st Battery, is appointed Lance Bombardier in "A" Section with effect from 3rd January, 1936.

LEAVE

Lieut. J. A. R. Selby, Medical Section, returned from leave as from 28th December, 1935.

Major C. M. Manners, O.B.E.

A.S.C. Cadre granted leave as from 1st January 1936 to 15th October, 1936.

Lieut. D. M. Richards, M.G.

Battalion Headquarters, granted leave as from 28th December 1935 to 28th October, 1936.

No. 1784, L/Sgt. J. Watson, Corps 1st Battery, granted leave as from 1st Dec. to 31st Dec.

No. 1768, L/Cpl. H. J. Cherrill, Armoured Car Section, granted



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Youthful Cynicism

The youthful cynicism of to-day he finds has numerous intellectual causes. We cannot cure it by preaching, but only by putting better ideals before the young. How can this be done while the rulers of the world, still as stupid as ever, have ever been, grow more powerful? What way is there of securing that they should be intelligent?

There are other interesting essays on such subjects as "Education and Discipline," "Stoicism and Mental Health," "Men Versus Insects," and "What is the Soul?"

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The Golden Text will be: "Among the gods there is none like unto thee, O Lord; . . . For thou art great, and doest wondrous things: thou art God alone." (Psalms 86:8.)

Among others, the following citations from the Bible will be read: "Thou shalt not take the name of the Lord thy God in vain: for the Lord will not hold him guiltless that taketh his name in vain."

If any man speak let him speak as the oracles of God; if any man minister, let him do it as of the ability which God giveth; that God in all things may be glorified through Jesus Christ." (Ex. 20:7 and I Pet. 4:11.)

God's Thoughts

The Lesson Sermon will also include the following passages from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" by Mary Baker Eddy:

"God's thoughts are perfect and eternal, are substance and Life. Material and temporal thoughts are human, involving error, and since God, Spirit, is the only cause, they lack a divine cause. The temporal and material are not then creations of Spirit. They are but counterfeits of the spiritual and eternal. Transitory thoughts are the antipodes of everlasting Truth, though (by the supposition of opposite qualities) error must also say, 'I am true.'

"In a world of sin and sensuality hastening to a greater development of power, it is wise earnestly to consider whether it is the human mind or the divine Mind which is influencing one."

"Science only can explain the order to escape the error of these latter days." (Pages 286, 22 and 229.)



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WHAT FRENCHMEN SEEK TO-DAY

(Continued from Page 8)

What a misunderstanding of our psychology and aims! It is infinitely to be regretted that such an opinion, such a prejudice, should be embedded in the minds of the German people.

The children finished college.

Johanna taught for five years and was married. Bart offered to help his father pay off the mortgage, but John only said, "The farm's mine, son, and its debts are mine."

On a spring day, when John and Sally were 60, John drove to the village and paid the last of the debt. When he returned he did not go to the house, but to the barn; he sat down at the edge of the haymow and wept. Sally found him there. They went out into the yard and looked at the mountains.

"They're ours to look at as long as we live," he said.

That week the weather turned raw suddenly and Sally caught cold. Her cough grew worse and John drove to the village for the doctor.

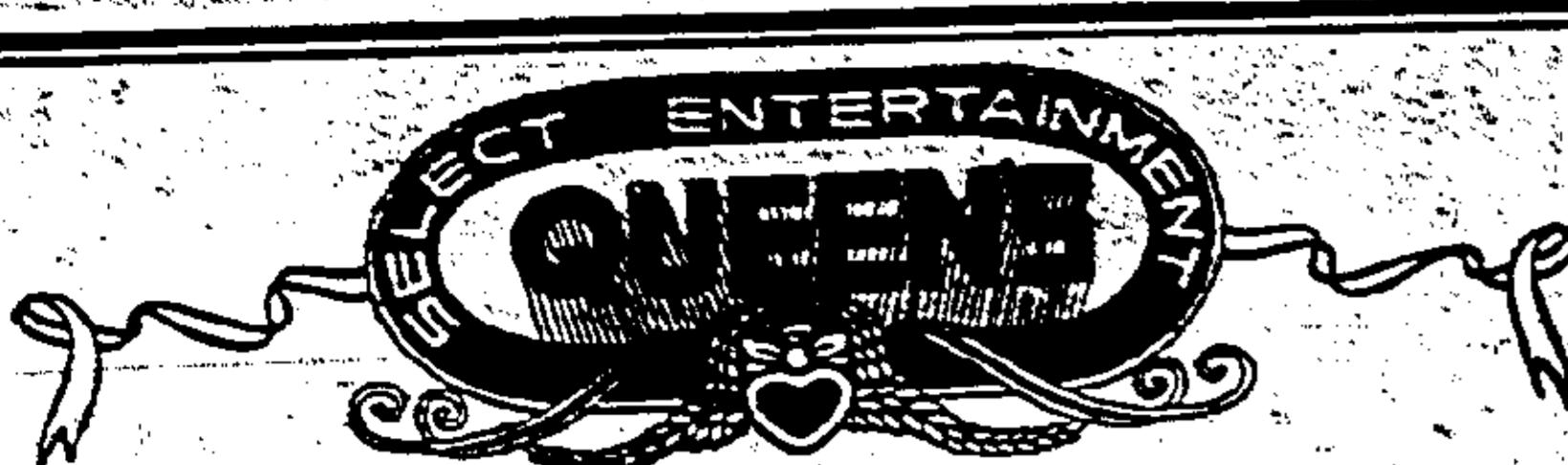
"Pneumonia," the doctor said. "I'll stay here to-night, John."

She had a raging fever; John sat beside her, desperate and white, holding her hot fingers.

"John," she said in a choked whisper, "poem, 'New one'."

He swallowed. He had told her over and over all the poems he had memorised.

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Hollywood War medals of every degree and from every nation, some purchased direct from the heroes who won them, others picked up in pawn shops and junk shops, form part of the "prop" reserves of one of the big studios here.

Their custodian, Mr. Tom Little, tells many pathetic stories about them, for in some cases he knows their history—how they came to their owners and what the price was in blood and suffering.

One Victoria Cross

There is one Victoria Cross among the collection.

Their sale is prohibited," Mr. Little said, "but we always had trouble getting them, even before the ban. An Englishman would rather starve than sell that medal."

Glory is cheap here by the time it gravitates to the "prop" room. About U.S.\$1.20 is the average price paid for a genuine war medal, Mr. Little said in an interview. "Sometimes the boys go out and get whole bunches of them for even less," he added.

Last Things Sold

He pointed to a Croix de Guerre and a Distinguished Service Cross and said they belonged to a disabled American soldier. "He lost a leg getting one of them," Mr. Little recalled. "They were the last things he sold. A pawn shop got them."

Medals cast by the Imperial Russian Government are the most numerous in the collection. There are also German Iron Crosses and decorations from the Austrian, Rumanian and Belgian armies.

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"BOMBS" CAUSE PANIC

Scare For Dwellers In Cyprus

Nicosia, Cyprus. An aeroplane dropping "bombs" has caused panic in the main streets of Nicosia, the capital of Cyprus.

Alarmist rumours and the absence of any form of anti-aircraft defence had so worked upon the Cypriots' feelings that they fled in terror when an aeroplane, discharging black objects, came skimming over the rooftops.

When they ventured out again, however, they discovered the "bombs" were packets of leaflets advertising the 1936 model of a well-known motor-car! Reuter.

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The attitude to this question is that the streets to be named after a certain place or individual should have some direct connection with them.

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BERLIN SHARE MARKET

No Definite Trend Apparent

"CHINA MAIL" SPECIAL

Berlin. To-day the share market yesterday was quiet, with prices tending to crumble, no definite trend becoming apparent. Big changes were not noted. Fixed interest securities were also dull without noticeable price changes. Call money was at 2% to 2½ per cent.

Ocean Service.



Three youths were killed and many injured when Egyptian students rioted in protest against Great Britain's refusal to grant a new constitution to Egypt, whose powerful Wafd party have long agitated for complete autonomy. Although the Independence Day riots were checked, new outbreaks occurred.

MILITARY BAND FOR CANADA

Invitation To Royal Artillery

TO PLAY AT EXHIBITION

London: The Royal Artillery Band, which provided the music for the Royal wedding and has played on several occasions at Buckingham Palace, has received an invitation from the Canadian Government to play at the Canadian Exhibition next year. It is understood that a band of about 40 musicians will be required. The visit will coincide with the retirement of Major E. C. Stretton, Director of Music, R.A.

Major Stretton is said to be the oldest service officer in the British Army.

Long Career

Born in 1871, he served 14 years as a ranker, 10 years as warrant officer and two years as warrant officer of the first-class. He was appointed Lieutenant and director of music in 1917, captain in 1925 and major in 1932. Before going to Woolwich, Major Stretton was at the Military School of Music, Eastney, and also bandmaster of the 1st Battalion of the Yorks and Lancs Regiment.

At one time he was a boy trumpeter.

He has been in charge of Royal Artillery band concerts for several years.

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Medals Of Honour

Medals of honour were also awarded to the British productions "Face of Great Britain," "Coal Face," and "The Voice of Great Britain," in the documentary class.

The organisers of the Festival have announced that a similar meeting will be held here next year.

For a fortnight a selection of the best films of the world have been showing to full houses in the little cinema in the Albertum building of the Brussels International Exhibition.

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ORIGIN OF FISH STORIES

New Museum For Paris

Paris.—Fishermen's stories through the ages will be illustrated in a new museum which is being opened at Arles and devoted to the art of fishing.

The museum will tell the story of fishing from earliest times.

The exhibits will show that methods of fishing have not changed to any great extent for over 2,000 years.

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